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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

This Reply is responsive to the Office Action dated June 13, 2005, the period for response to which has been extended by one month by the accompanying fee. Entry of the following amendments and reconsideration of the claimed subject matter is respectfully requested:

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